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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **KOUCHIRO INOUE ET AL.**  
SERIAL NO.: 10/716,512

GROUP ART UNIT: 1742

FILED: November 11, 2003

EXAMINER: Deborah YEE

FOR: MICROALLOYED STEEL EASY TO SEPARATE  
BY FRACTURE SPLITTING AT LOW  
TEMPERATURE AND FITTING MEMBER  
PRODUCED THROUGH SEPARATION BY  
FRACTURE SPLITTING AT LOW TEMPERATURE

ATTY. REFERENCE: INOU3001/JEK/JJC



**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS**

P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month | <input type="checkbox"/> Three Months |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Months           | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Months          |                                       |

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 120.00.

- ☒ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**.
- ☐ Charge fee to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant is a **small entity** entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.  
A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

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DATE: October 17, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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